

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Anna BENSCIK-REYNIER et al.

Application No.: 10/583,891

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Docket No.: 128486

For: METHOD FOR DETECTING PRP USING AT LEAST ONE POSITIVE CHARGE
AND/OR AT LEAST ONE GLYCOSIDIC BOND AND A LIGAND OTHER THAN A
PROTEIN LIGAND

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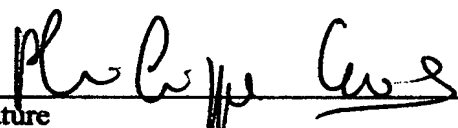
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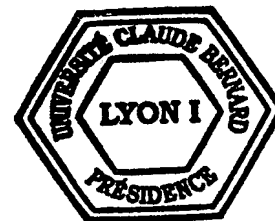
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- (15) U.S. Application Serial Number 10/583,891
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